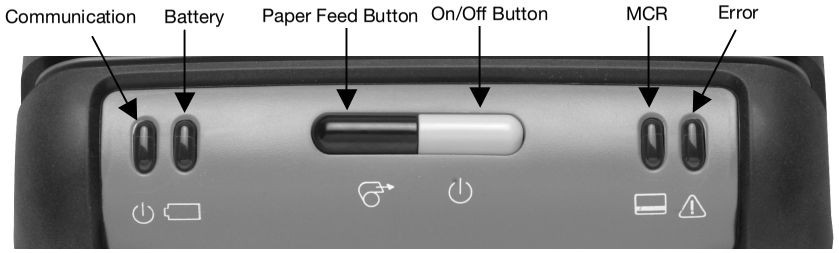
Status Indicator LED's

Press ON/OFF button (Blue) to turn printer on. Four LED indicators located on the top of the printer indicate various printer functions. LED will indicate function as described below:

LED	Status	Condition	Function
Communication	Green	Flashing	RS232 serial mode selected
		Steady	Communicating with host
	Blue	Flashing	Bluetooth mode selected
		Steady	Transmitting/Receiving
	Amber	Flashing	802.11b/g mode selected
		Steady	Transmitting/Receiving
Error	Red	Steady	Error
Battery	Red	Steady	Low Battery
	Amber	Steady	Battery being charged
	Green	Steady	Battery charge complete
Magnetic Card Reader (MCR)	Green	Steady	Swipe Ready
	Red	Steady	Swipe Error



Performing Self Test

1. Press and Hold On/Off Button (Blue)
2. While holding On/Off Button, press Paper Feed Button (Black)

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Model Andes 3

Mobile Printer

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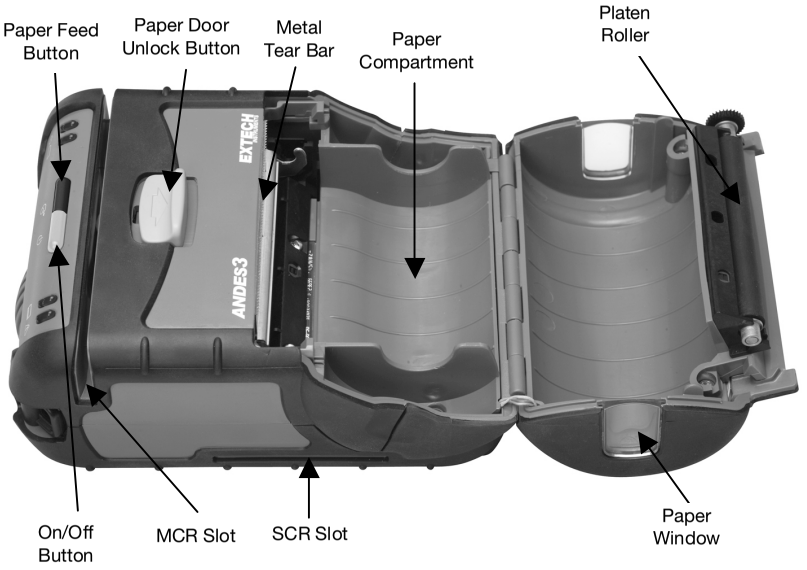
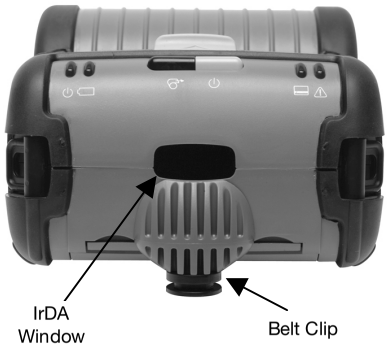
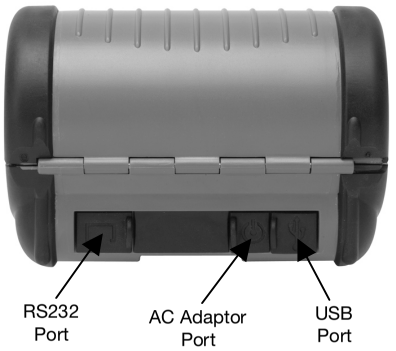
Quick Start Guide

*This guide provides a reference illustration of the initial steps to quickly get your Model Andes 3 up and running. Refer to the **User's Guide** for more detailed information on the operation and use of Model Andes 3*

Andes 3 Overview

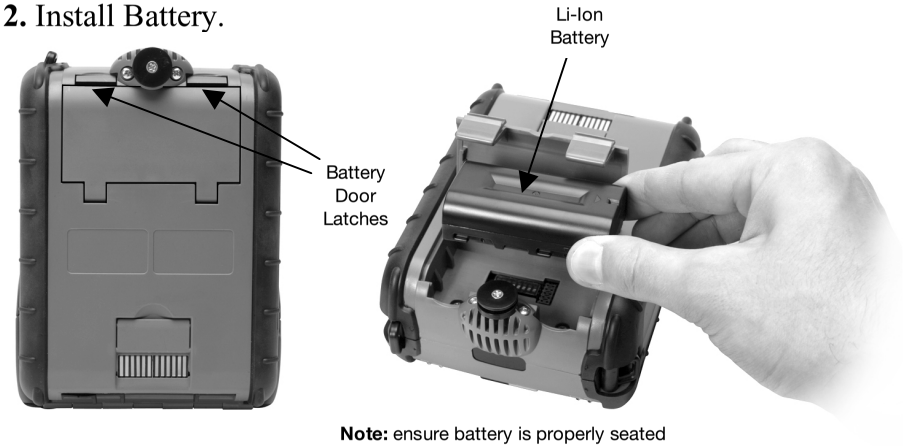






Installing the Battery

1. Open Battery Door Latch.
2. Install Battery.



Note: ensure battery is properly seated before closing door

Charging the Battery

1. Plug battery charger adaptor output cable into the battery charger connector.
2. Plug battery charger adaptor into the appropriate AC line voltage socket.
3. Battery charging LED (Amber) will illuminate indicating charging.
4. LED will illuminate green after battery is charged.

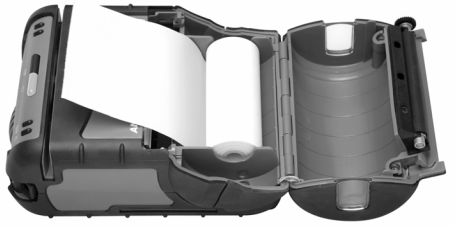
5. Charge the battery for 3 hours before using printer first time.

Installing the Paper Roll

1. Slide paper door lock forward. While holding the lock button in maximum forward position, open the paper door.

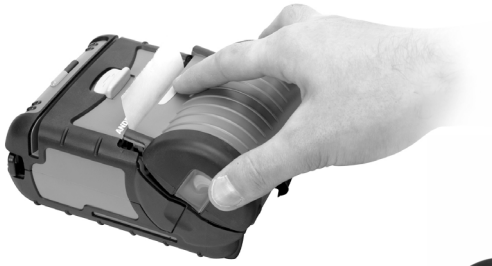
CAUTION:
Avoid touching the print head or reduction gear while the door is open. Inspect the reduction gear, remove dust or paper fragments using low-pressure air (Do not use a brush to clean!)

2. Install Paper Roll



Pull Paper Roll Leader Out of Printer.
Note Direction of Paper Travel.

3. Align paper, making sure that paper extends 4cm above the paper tear bar.
4. Gently press paper door down applying pressure at the center of the paper door**.** The click sound indicates the door is locked
5. Turn on the printer by pressing the Power button and test the paper advance function by pressing the Paper Feed button. Verify that paper advances correctly.



Tearing Paper

1. To tear paper, pull one edge of the paper against the tear bar.

Note: Pulling paper up and/or sideways without using the tear bar can cause a paper jam due to paper misalignment in printhead mechanism.